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RPA Title: "Hydrazide substrate safely shuts down disease activated protease to halt viral replication, cancerous cell division, and toxic protein generation"  
Examiner: Mr. Brian J. Davis, Art Unit 1621

**Amendment Under Rule 116**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action post marked March 29, 2006, the applicant requests that the above referenced application be amended as follows:

**SPECIFICATION:**

1. The applicant requests that page 1, paragraph [0002], be replaced with the following paragraph:

[0002] The field of endeavor to which this invention pertains is hydrazide substrate drugs as used in prior art applications to shutdown oxidase protein production as an antidepressant method, and herewith such drugs are use to shutdown proteins as viral coat, cancer metastatic, and abnormal cell proteins for disease treatment purposes, and additionally used to shutdown proteins produced by microorganism to provide an antibiotic purpose.

2. The applicant requests that page 1, paragraph [0004], the first sentence be replaced by the following:

[0004] This invention provides a new purpose for the use of existing drugs of the mono amine oxidase enzyme inhibitor (MAOI) class that utilizes an irreversible substrate mechanism.